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- 14. By Senator McNealus: empting from taxation all public securities issued after date of this Act, 12.-Reported favorably, 304. -Set as special order, 430,-Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 561.—Read third time and passed, 716.—Reported en grossed, 577.—Received copy from House with message that House refused to pass same, 1155.
- 15. By Senator McNealus: Providing for the protection of fur-bearing animals, 12.—Reported adversely with favorable minority, 386.
- 16. By Senator McNealus: Providing for registration of pharmacists and for reciprocity with other states and fixing penalties, 12 .-Recommitted for amendment prior to filing of report, 206 .-- Reported adversely with favorable minority with amendment, 367.
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- 32. By Senator Hudspeth: Making appropriation for mileage and per diem for the Thirty-fifth Legislature, 14.-Reported favorably, 25. -Constitutional rule suspended; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 21 .- Reported engrossed, 31.—Received from House, 39.—Reported enrolled, 42.—Signed, 42.
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- 34. By Senator Bee: Providing a salary for district attorneys in counties of more than 100,000 population, etc., 15 .- Reported favorably wth amendments, 278 .-Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, amended and passed, 431.—Reported engrossed, 461 and 588.—Request for return from House, 566.—Received from House for correc tion, 568.—Received from House with amendments, 918.—House amendments concurred in, 978.— Signed, 1025 .- Enrolled, 1074.
- By Senator Henderson: ing the original and appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court, and regulating practice therein, 15. -Reported favorably, 221.
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- By Senator Johnston of Harris: Making appropriation for brick dormitory at Prairie View Normal in Waller County, 16 .- Reported favorably, 32 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 88.—Reported engrossed, 105.—Received from 180 .- Enrolled, 260 .-House, Signed, 209.
- By Senator Johnston of Harris: 41. Providing for the creation of a Hotel Commission, prescribing its duties, etc., 16.—Reported favorably, 300.
- By Senator Buchanan of Bell: Providing for the registration of land titles in this State, 16.—Reported adversely with favorable committee substitute, 485 .- Set as special order; pending, 1088 .-Read second time; pending, 1088. -Committee report amended; adopted; amended; pending, 1095; laid on table subject to call, 1137. —Amended; ordered engrossed, 1151.—Read third time and passed, 1289 .- Reported engrossed, 1208.
- By Senator Hudspeth: Providing for license and occupation tax for persons handling, pistols, etc., 16. - Reported favorably amendments, 201.

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- 44. By Senator Hudspeth: Amending Article 7059, Chapter 3, Title 120, R. S. of 1911, fixing salary of district judges, 16.—Reported favorably with amendments, 92.
- 45. By Senator Dean: Prohibiting commissioners' courts from issuing warrants or contracting debts against the courthouse and jail or road and bridge funds in excess of receipts for current year, 16.—Reported favorably, 105.
- 46. By Senator Dean: Amending Article 7684, R. S. 1911, relating to foreclosure of tax liens on real estate and fixing period of limitation, 16.—Reported favorably with amendment, 83.—Made special order, 550.—Read second time; amendments offered and laid on table subject to call, 811.—Committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1025.—Reported engrossed, 1097.
- 47. By Senator Dean: Making appropriation for support and maintenance of State normal schools, 16.—Reported favorably, 32.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 88.—Reported engrossed, 105.—Received from House with amendments, 379.—House amendments concurred in, 401.—Signed, 422.—Enrolled, 449.
- 48. By Senator Hudspeth: Creating the county court of El Paso County for civil cases and fixing the jurisdiction thereof, 16.
- 49. By Senator Hudspeth: Requiring the employment of citizens of the United States on public work; regulating contracts with the State, county, etc., and requiring names of contractors to be filed with the Commissioner of Labor, etc., 17.—Reported favorably, 203.
- 50. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to the venue of suits against private corporations, etc., and amending Section 24. of Article 1830, Title 37, R. S. of 1911, 17. —Reported favorably and be printed in Journal only, 657.

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- 51. By Senator Hudspeth: Authorizing a married woman to bind her separate estate as principal on bond required of a notary public, with or without the joinder of her husband, 17.—Reported favorably, 252.
- 52. By Senator Hudspeth: Fixing the time of holding the terms of district court in counties of the Sixty-th!rd Judicial District of Texas, 17.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 187.
- 53. By Senator Hudspeth: Prohibiting fishing and hunting upon the enclosed land of another without permission and fixing a penalty, 17.—Reported favorably with amendments, 45.—Read second time and laid on the table subject to call, 116.
- 54. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Creating the Eighty-first Judicial District of Texas, composed of the counties of Hall, Donley, Armstrong, Carson, 26.—Reported favorably, 43.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 118.—Reported engrossed, 163.—Received copy from House, 637.
- the practice of dental surgery and providing for registration of persons desiring to practice, 26.—Reported adversely with favorable substitute printed in the Journal, 257.—Set as special order, 713.—Read second time; committee report amended and adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 853.—Reported engrossed, 861.—Received copy from House; defeated, 1238.
- 56. By Senator King: Providing a bureau of Labor Statistics of the State of Texas, under control of Commissioner of Labor Statistics, 26.
- 57. By Senator Floyd: Relating to fur-bearing animals and providing for open season for killing of same, 27.—Reported adversely, 387.—Recommitted, 1039.—Re-

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  - ported favorably and be printed in the Journal, 1070.
- 58. By Senator Strickland: Defining a blacklist and providing penalties for same, 27.—Reported adversely with favorable substitute, 201.—Set as a special order, 499.—Read second time, 885.—Committee report amended, adopted, 1026.—Amended, 1030.—Amended, ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1062.—Reported engrossed, 1098.
- 59. By Senator Strickland: Relating to sheds for employes of corporations and receivers engaged in repairing and construction of railway cars, etc., 27.—Reported favorably with adverse minority, 185.—Set as a special order, 585.
- By Senator Clark: Permitting insurance companies to invest in stocks of banks and trust companies in Texas, 28.—Reported favorably, 170.
- 61. By Senator Hopkins: Providing that no property encumbered by certain liens shall be set aside to the widow or children as exempt property until debts are discharged, 28.—Reported favorably with a mend ments, 67.—Read second time; committee report amended; pending, 150.—Pending, 162.—Pending, 163.—Committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 180.—Reported engrossed, 217.—Received from House with amendments, 379.—House amendments concurred in, 550.—Signed, 567.—Enrolled, 593.
- 62. By Senator Bee: Relating to the construction of macadamized or pike roads and providing for maintenance of same, 28.—Reported favorably, 483.
- 63. By Senator Westbrook: Relating to the employment of child labor in Texas, 28.—Reported favorably, 152.—Set as a special order, 292.—Read second time; amended; pending, 309.—Pending, 314.—A mended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and

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- 64. By Senator Henderson: Conferring on corporations the power to borrow money, 28.—Reported favorably, 105.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 439.—Reported engrossed, 482.—Received from House, 626.—Enrolled, 694.—Signed, 639.
- 65. By Senator Dean: Relating to the prohibition of pool and billiard halls, 28.—Reported favorably with amendments, 91.—Set as a special order, 314.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; pending, 428.—Amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 502.—Reported engrossed, 553.
- 66. By Senator Dean: Relating to the disqualification of judges of the district and county courts in insurance cases where such judges are members of such insurance orders or societies, 28.—Reported favorably with amendments, 164.
- 67. By Senator Clark: Amending Article 1120 of Chapter 2, Title 15, of Code of Criminal Procedure, relating to district attorneys whose districts are composed of two or more counties, 29.—Reported favorably, 389.
- 68. By Senator McNealus: Relating to common carrier pipe lines engaged in transportation of oil, etc., placing same under control of Railroad Commission of Texas, 29.

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- 69. By Senator McNealus: Creating a State board of examiners of architects, etc., defining qualifications and providing for appointment of members, 29.—Reported favorably, 126.
- 70. By Senator McNealus: Regulating the licensing of persons, firms and corporations engaged in the electrical contracting business, installing wires, electrical apparatus, etc., 30.—Reported favorably, 304.
- 71. By Senators King, Hall and Johnston: Creating and providing for enforcement of liens for material, machinery or supplies furnished or labor furnished to owners of land, mines, etc, 30.—Reported favorably, 58.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 124.—Reported engrossed, 164.—Received from House with amendments, 380.—House amendments concurred in, 377.—Enrolled, 411.—Signed, 394.
- 72. By Senators Caldwell and Bee: Relating to the use of the stock, means and assets of corporations and declaring for what purposes the same may be used, 30.—Reported adversely, 252.
- 73. By Senator Hudspeth: Establishing a branch of A. and M. College west of the ninety-eighth meridian and north of the thirtieth parallel, 30.—Reported favorably, 223.
- 74. By Senator Hudspeth: Providing for the destruction of wolves and other wild animals and for protection of stock raisers, farmers, etc., 30.—Reported favorably with amendments, 127.—Set as a special order, 292.
- 75. By Senator Hudspeth: Validating titles to school land purchased from the State on condition of settlement, etc., 30.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 43.

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- 76. By Senator Suiter: Relating to appeals to the Courts of Civil Appeals, stating in what cases allowed, 32.
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- 78. By Senator Suiter: Prohibiting certain contributions for the purpose of aiding or defeating candidates for Congress, etc., 33.—Reported favorably, 196.—Read second time; ordered engrossed, 1041.—Reported engrossed, 1098.
- By Senator Johnson of Hall: Prohibiting maintenance and operation of pool halls in Texas; defining same, 33.—Reported favorably, 200.—Set as a special order, 314.
- 80. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Prohibiting the opening of places of amusement on Sunday, 33.—Reported adversely (minority), 219.—Reported adversely with favorable substitute printed in Journal, 218.—Set as a special order; read second time and laid on the table subject to call, 1043.
- 81. By Senator King: Authorizing additional tax in navigation districts, 33.—Reported favorably, 165.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 359.—Reported engrossed, 386.—Received from House, 627.—Enrolled, 695.—Signed, 639.
- 82. By Senator Henderson: Establishing branch of A. and M. College east of the ninety-sixth meridian, 33.—Reported favorably, 224.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 677.—Reported en-

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- 83. By Senators Dayton, Hudspeth and Hall: Relating to corporations formed for the purpose of storing, transporting, buying and selling oil and gas, 34 .- Reported favorably, 58 .- Recommitted, 65. -Reported favorably, 106 .- Set as special order, 94.—Read second time; pending, 217.—Amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 247 .- Reported engrossed, 278. - Received from House, 380. — Signed, 395. — Enrolled, 413.
- By Senator Hopkins: Conferring on the Railroad Commission the power to require railroads to arrange tracks, etc., to conform to public safety, 34.
- 85. By Senator Hopkins: Declaring what counties compose the Sixteenth Judicial District of Texas, etc, 34.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 187.— Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 334.—Reported engrossed, 361 .- Received from House, 466 .- Ordered returned to the House for further consideration (Simple Resolution No. 81), 497.—Received from the House, 501.—Signed, 499.—Enrolled, 519.
- 86. By Senator McCollum: To regulate buying and selling of stocks and bonds, etc., to conform to Act of Congress of August 18, 1914, 34 .- Reported favorably, 317.
- 87. By Senator Alderdice: Amending Article 1714 of Chapter 3, Title 34, of Revised Statutes of 1911, relating to official acts of district judges during vacation, .34 .- Reported favorably, 91.
- By Senator Floyd: To establish a State teachers' employment bureau, 34 .- Reported favorably, 462.
- 89. By Senator McNealus: Constituting the several district judges of

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  - 90. By Senator McNealus: Relating to obtaining board and lodging under false pretenses, etc., 34 .--Reported favorably, 386.
  - 91. By Senator McNealus: Fixing a special lien in favor of hotels and boarding houses, 35 .- Reported favorably, 387.
  - By Senator McNealus: Providing for enforcement of attendance of witnesses relating to obtaining money, etc., under false pretenses, 35.—Reported favorably, 388.
  - By Senators Bee and Gibson: Establishing a State Highway Department and creating a State Highway Commission, and office of State Highway Engineer, 35.
  - By Senators Bee and Gibson: Fixing the franchise tax on foreign corporations, 35 .- Reported favorably, 165 .- Set as special order, 596 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1038 .- Reported engrossed, 1098. -Received from House with amendments, 1283 .- Senate concurs in House amendments, 1286. Signed, 1329 .- Enrolled, 1349.
  - 95 .- By Senators Bee and Gibson: Regulating permit fees of corporations payable to Secretary of State and fixing maximum fee, 35. Reported favorably, 165.—Set as special order, 596.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 745.—Reported engrossed, 778 .- Received from House with amendments, 1283 .-Free Conference Committee elected, 1286 .- House elects Free Conference Committee, 1290 .- Free Conference Committee report adopted, 1296.—House adopts Free Conference Committee report, 1320 .- Signed, 1329. - Enrolled, 1350.
  - By Senator Bee: Providing for protection of the common bat by making it a misdemeanor to kill

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  - or injure same, 35 .-- Reported favorably, 106.
- 97. By Senator Bee: Prohibiting any person other than the lawful owner to use, traffic in, etc., or to refuse to return to owner, any milk cans, bottles, boxes, etc., 36. Reported adversely, 387.
- 98. By Senator Bee: Providing for salaries of clerks of the Courts of Civil Appeals and payment of costs | 106. By Senator Gibson: Providcollected into State Treasury, 36. -Reported favorably with amendments, 252 .- Read second time; committee report amended and adopted; amended; ordered en-grossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 917 .- Reported engrossed, 1004. -Received from House, 1578.-Signed, 1584.-Enrolled, 1596.
- 99. By Senator Gibson: Relating to exemptions from operation of Anti-Pass Law, so as to include State Fire Insurance Commission et al., 36.—Reported favorably, 152.
- 100. By Senator Caldwell: ing to condemnation by cities and towns of private property for opening or widening streets, 36.—Reported favorably, 168.—Read sec-· ond time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 331 .-- Reported engrossed, 362.—Received copy from House, it having failed of passage, 468.
- 101. By Senator Hudspeth: claring it to be unlawful for any railroad company or its receiver, etc., to confiscate to its own use any article of freight received by it, 36.-Reported adversely with favorable substitute; printed in the Journal, 185.
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- 105. By Senator Hudspeth: Providing for protection of citizens of the United States who may be killed or injured in a foreign state, and for the trial of such causes in the courts of Texas, 38.—Reported favorably, 184.
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- 107. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Restoring and conferring upon the county court of Hansford County its proper civil and criminal jurisdiction, 38 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 59 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 65 .- Reported engrossed, 82.—Received from House, 380.—Reported enrolled, 407.—Signed, 394.
- 108. By Senator Hudspeth: Providing for State-wide tick eradication, 38.—Reported favorably with amendments, 128.—Recommitted, 247 .- Reported adversely with favorable substitute, 389 .- Substitute ordered printed in Journal, 391 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rul suspended; read third time and passed, 497 .- Reported engrossed, 554.-Received from House with amendments, 793 .- Senate concurs in House amendments, 796.— Signed 857.—Enrolled, 868.
- 109. By Senator Bee: Empowering trustees of any school district to establish and maintain free kindergarten, 38.—Reported favorably 464 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed, 712.—Read third time and passed, 739.—Reported engrossed, 726.—Received from House with amendments, 1058 .-Senate concurs in House amend-1065 .- Signed, 1087.ments, Enrolled, 1114.

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- 111. By Senator Dayton: Prohibiting corrupt use of money in primary elections and limiting purpose of expenditures, 46 .- Reported favorably, 200.—Set as special order, 566.—Read second time and laid on table subject to call, 920.
- 112. By Senator Dayton: To create State Board of Chiropractic Examiners and regulating practice of chiropractors, etc., 46 .- Reported adversely with favorable minority, 255.—Recommitted, 285.
- 113. By Senator Westbrook: Making it a misdemeanor to practice law in justice or city courts withcut license, 46.—Reported favorably, 185.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 440 .- Reported engrossed, 482.
- 114. By Senator Caldwell: Prohibiting persons from trespassing on tracks, etc., of railroads and electric light poles and towers of interurban railways, 46.
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- 117. By Senator Robbins: Providing for election to determine whether hogs, sheep or goats may run at large during only those

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  - 118. By Senator Gibson: Granting to the City of Paris, Lamar County, the State ad valorem and part of the poll taxes for a period of five years, 47 .- Reported favorably, 298 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed, 356 .- Read third time and passed, 608 .- Reported engrossed, 645.—Received from House, 898.—Signed, 905.—Enrolled, 967.
  - 119. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: Relating to the requisites of judgments for the foreclosure of mortgage and other liens, 47.
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  - By Senator Hall: Relating to filing of copies of all petitions, answers, etc., with clerks of district and county courts, 48 .- Reported favorably, 107.
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  - 124. By Senator Decherd: Making an appropriation for the maintenance and support of A. and M. College in conformity with provisions of an Act of the Thirtyfourth Legislature, 48 .- Reported favorably, 66 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time

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- To 242. By Senator Lattimore: provide that women may vote in all primary elections in Texas, 207. -Reported favorably, 224.-Recommitted, 211. - Reported adversely with favorable minority, 279 .- Set as a special order, 430. -Refusal to take up, 1339.
- 243. By Senators King and Hudspeth: To validate all sales of public free school land, purchased and fully paid for, patents to which were signed by Governor Hogg on certain dates, 207 .- Reported favorably, 257.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 324 .- Reported engrossed, 361. — Received from House, 472.—Enrolled, 525.— House, 472 Signed, 499.
- 244. By Senator Floyd: To establish a State Normal College, and providing for location of same by a committee, 207 .- Reported favorably, 279 .- Set as a special order, 350 .- Read second time and laid on the table subject to call, 499.
- 245. By Senators Woodward and Hudspeth: To prohibit commissioners courts or city commissioners from creating any debt other than obligations payable out of revenues for current year, 207 .-Reported favorably, 441.
- 246. By Senator Hall: Conveying to the U.S. all right, title and interest of the State of Texas in and to certain land in the City of Galveston, 207 .- Reported favorably, 256 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended, read third time and passed, 332.—Reported engrossed, 386 .- Received from House, 1580. -Signed, 1616.-Enrolled, 1635.
- 247. By Senator Hudspeth: amend Acts of Thirty-first Legisla-

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- 248. By Senator Hudspeth: amend Acts of the Thirty-fourth Legislature relating to the fees of district attorneys of districts composed of two or more counties, 208.—Reported favorably, 252.— Set as a special order, 1094 .--Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1335. - Reported grossed, 1553.
- By Senator Hudspeth: Providing that all provisions of the laws applicable to life, fire, marine, inland, etc., insurance com-panies shall, so far as applicable, govern all companies transacting any other kind of insurance business, 208 .- Reported favorably, 647.
- 250. By Senator Clark: To amend Acts of Thirty-second Legislature relating to authority of commissioners court to create county line school districts, 208 .- Reported favorably, 279. - Read second time; amended; ordered grossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 352.—Reported engrossed, 386 .- Received from House, 1094. -Signed, 1139.-Enrolled, 1219.
- 251. By Senator Bailey: To create a more efficient road system for Live Oak County, 208 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 298. -Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 288 .- Ac-

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- 252. By Senator Bee: To provide for establishment of experimental apiarles under direction of Texas Agricultural Experimental Station of the A. and M. College, 212.— Reported favorably and be not printed, 760.
- By Senator Bee: Relating to compensation for ex officio services and when same may be allowed by commissioners courts, 212 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 865.
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- 256. By Senator Johnston of Har-To amend Revised Statutes so as to limit the size of election precincts and the number of voters therein, 268 .- Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal, 998.
- 257. By Senator Johnson of Har-To revise Revised Statutes so as to make privieged, without proof of actual malice, true accounts of legislative and executive proceedings, etc., 268 .- Reported favorably, 443 .-- Read second time; ordered engrossed, 1256; read third time and passed, 1279; reported engrossed, 1297 .- Received from House, 1585.
- 258. By Senator Johnston of Harris: To fix the venue of sults for damages for libel and slander, 268. -Reported favorably, 442.-Read second time; ordered engrossed,

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- 259. By Senator Johnston of Harris: To amend Title \$4, Chapter 1. Revised Statutes of 1911, by providing that nothing in said title shall be construed to take away any existing defense to a civil action for libel, 268 .- Reported favorably, 443 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed, 1256 .- Read third time and passed, 1279; reported engrossed, 1298 .- Received from House, 1585 .- Signed, 1590. -Enrolled, 1641.
- 260. By Senator Johnston of Har-To validate titles to land which patents have been issued for more than five years, etc., 268 .-(By unanimous consent, the bill was withdrawn entirely.)
- 261. By Senator Johnston of Har-Amending Revised Statutes ris: relating to libel and slander and providing that notice must be given to adverse party within 95 days after accrual of cause of action, 268.
- By Senator Bee: To authorize cities and towns to require the filling of any lot or lots, etc., which shall have stagnant water therein, etc., and to make inspection of premises. 269 .- Reported favorably, 339.
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- 264. By Senator Dean: To authorize W. A. Eastham et al., as executors and devisees under the last

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- 265. By Senator Dean: To authorize B. A. Eastham to sue the State and the Prison Commission of Texas, in Walker County, 269.—Reported favorably, 316.—Read second time; ordered engrossed, 434; reported engrossed, 461.—Senate requests return of the bill from the House, 572.—Received from the House, 584.—Read third time and passed, 612.—Received from House with amendments, 1585.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 1586.—Signed, 1616—Enrolled, 1644.
- 266. By Senator Floyd: To create a special road law for Delta County, Texas, 270.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 297.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 606.—Not engrossed at request of author.
- 267. By Senator Dayton: Defining delinquent child and to regulate the treatment and control of same, 270.—Reported favorably, 389.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 920.—Reported engrossed, 1044.—Received from House with amendments, 1580.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 1581.—Signed, 1629.—Enrolled, 1652.
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- 269. By Senator Lattimore: To define junk dealers, requiring such dealers to give bond, etc., 271.—Reported favorably and be printed in Journal, 1003.—Read spcond time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1041.—Reported engrossed, 1159.
- 270. By Senators Smith and Bee:
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- 271. By Senator Hall: To validate the incorporation of the city of Texas City, 271.—Reported favorably, 404.—Read second time; ordered engrossed, 617.—Read third time and passed, 748.—Reported engrossed, 645.—Received from House, 1021.—Reported enrolled, 1071.—Signed, 1059.
- 272. By Senator Hall: Taking Counties of Wharton, Fort Bend, Matagorda and Brazoria from the counties exempted by Article 7184, Revise Statutes, 271.
- 273. By Senator Hall: To regulate the sale and possession of certain fish of certain sizes, etc., and prohibiting use of seins and nets for certain periods, 271.—Reported favorably with committee amendment, 363.
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- 278. By Senator Dean: Amending the Revised Statutes of 1911, providing for county depositories and bond for same, etc., 281.—Reported favorably, 297.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 350.—Reported engrossed, 362.—Received from House with amendments, 378.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 381.—Enrolled, 408.—Signed, 395.
- 279. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: To prohibit the treasurer or any officer, etc., of a corporation which is depository of a school district, to misapply, convert, etc., money or property of such school district, 282.—Reported favorably, 299.
- 280. By Senator Dayton: To amend Article 1063, Penal Code of Texas of 1911, defining rape, 282.—Reported favorably, 510.
- 281. By Senator Decherd: To establish a State Normal School at Calvert, Texas, to be known as the Central Texas State Normal School, 286.
- 282. By Senators McNealus, Hudspeth, Caldwell and Woodward: To prevent introduction and dissemination of insect pests and diseases harmful to plants and plant products, 286.—Reported favorably, 404.

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- 284. By Senator Hudspeth: Creating the Barnhart Independent School District in Irion County, Texas, 287.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 297.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 435.—Reported engrossed, 482.—Received from House, 640.—Signed, 677.—Reported enrolled, 732.
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- 286. By Senator Bailey: To amend Revised Statutes relating to liens on the homestead for improvements so as to include ditching, fencing, grubbing, etc., 287.
- 287. By Senator Gibson: To prohibit co-insurance clauses in policies or contracts of insurance covering property in this State, 290.—Reported favorably, 444.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed, 924.—Read third time and passed, 1024.—Reported engrossed, 1004.—Message from House that the bill failed to pass to third reading, 1569.
- 288. By Senator McNealus: To authorize issuance of life insurance policies payable to business partners, firms and corporations, etc., 290.—Reported favorably, 622.
- 289. By Senators Alderdice, Bee and Decherd: To provide a Permanent Textbook Commission and Board of Revision to keep adopted school books revised and up to date, etc., 290.

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- 292. By Senator Hudspeth: Abolishing the doctrine of assumed risk as a bar to recovery in suits against corporations, 302.—Reported favorably, 462.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1338 .- Reported engrossed, 1553.
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- 296. By Senator Alderdice: To amend an Act to authorize commissioners courts of the several counties to create and establish levee improvement districts, so as to provide manner of posting election notices, etc., 308 .- Reported favorably, 684.
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- 299. By Senator Hudspeth: Creating the County of Darlington out of a part of El Paso County, 309. -Reported favorably and be not printed, 316 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 325 .- Reported engrossed, 361.-Received from House with amendments, 472.— Senate concurs in House amend-522.-497.—Enrolled, Signed (Journal should show to have been signed on page 548).
- 300. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: To regulate the operation of motion picture shows, theatres and places of amusement where motion pictures are shown, 311 .- Reported favorably with amendments, 577 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and pended; read third time and passed, 717.—Reported engrossed, 758.
- 301. By Senator Alderdice: To amend Revised Statutes of 1911, relating to pleadings of defendants, 312.
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- 303. By Senator Dayton: Am nding Section 15, Chapter 4, of Local and Special Laws of First Called Session of the Thirty-first Legislature (Grayson County Road Law). 312 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 340 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 552 .- Reported en-

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- 304. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Creating the Turkey Independent School District in Hall County, Texas, 312.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 366.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 570.—Reported engrossed, 589.—Received from House, 1021.—Reported enrolled, 1071.—Signed, 1059.
- 305. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Revised Statutes of 1911, with reference to mode of preventing stock from running at large in counties named, so as to exempt Pecos County, 312.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 345.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 475.—Reported engrossed, 509.
- 306. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Articles 608 and 611 of Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, regulating the issuance of bonds by counties. cities and towns, 312.—Reported favorably with amendments, 782.
- 307. By Senator Hudspeth: Authorizing counties or subdivisions thereof by a vote of two-thirds of resident property tax-paying voters, to issue bonds for road construction, 312.—Reported favorably, 783.
- 308. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: Creating the Post Independent School District in Garza County, 318.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 338.—Read second time; commmittee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 432.—Reported engrossed, 461.—Received from House, 641.—Signed, 706.

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- 310. By Senator Bee: Prescribing qualifications of county superintendent of public instruction and fixing his salary, etc., 319.—Reported favorably, 366.—Read second time; ordered engrossed, 1041.
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- 311. By Senator Dayton: To authorize commissioners court of Grayson County to appropriate money for additional farm demonstration agent and for canning club demonstration agent, 319.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 509.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended: read third time and passed, 810.—Reported engrossed, 840.—Received from House, 1021.—Reported enrolled, 1071.—Signed, 1059.
- 312. By Senator Robbins et al.: To promote temperance by prohibiting advertising of or soliciting orders for alcoholic, etc., liquors, 319.—Reported favorably with adverse minority, 689.—Read second time; committee (majority) report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1040.—Reported engrossed, 1065.
- 313. By Senator Johnson of Hall:
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- 314. By Senator Henderson: To amend Act of Thirty-fourth Legislature requiring tax collectors to prepare and mail notices of delinquent taxes to owners of real es-

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  - tate, 319 .- Reported favorably, 406 .- Called up and set as special order, 550.—Offered as amend-ment to S. B. No. 46, 866.
- 315. By Senator Henderson: appropriate revenues of cities for purposes of retiring and discharging accrued indebtedness, 320 .-Reported favorably, 406.—Read second time; ordered engrossed, 617 .- Read third time and laid on table subject to call, 1092 .- Read third time and passed, 1281 .- Reported engrossed, 645 .- Received from House, 1585.—Signed, 1619. -Enrolled, 1646.
- 316. By Senator Henderson: To amend Title 22, Chapter 4, Article 883 R. S. 1911, authorizing aldermen of Gulf cities to construct harbors, 320.—Reported favorably, 406.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 606 .- Reported engrossed, 645.—Received from House, 1238.
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- 317. By Senator Johnston of Har-ris: To authorize cities of more than 5000 inhabitants to adopt or amend their charters and to consolidate with another city in the same county, 320.—Reported favorably, 405.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; con-stitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 567.—Reported engrossed, 589.—Received from House, 627 .- Enrolled, 692. -Signed, 639.
- 318. By Senator McNealus: regulate the practice of veterinary medicine and surgery, and to create a board of veterinary medical examiners, 320.
- 319. By Senator Page: To repeal the suspended sentence law passed by the Thirty-third Legislature, 320 .- Reported favorably with adverse minority, 509.—Set as spe-cial order, 1094.—Read second time; favorable committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1339 .- Reported engrossed, 1553.
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  - 323. By Senator Bailey: To amend Article 3876 R. S. 1911, relating to district and county surveyors' fees, 347.—Reported favorably, 648.
  - 324. By Senator Clark: To amend Acts of the Thirty-third Legisla-ture, being a local road law for Fayette County, 347 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 403. -Read second time; committee report adoptel; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 432 .-Reported engrossed, 461.
  - 325. By Senator Hall: Changing the time of holding the terms of the district court in the Twentythird Judicial District, 347.—Reported favorably and be not printed. 405 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 434.—Reported engrossed, 461.—Received from House, 627. -Enrolled, 691 .- Signed, 639.
  - 326. By Senator Hall: Granting to Chambers County the State ad valorem and part of poll taxes for a period of ten years to aid in rebuilding bridges, etc., destroyed by flood, 347.—Reported favorably with amendments, 512.-Read second time; committee report adopt-

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- 327. By Senators McCollum et al.: to establish and maintain a State School of Correspondence at Austin, Texas, 347.
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- 329. By Senator Bee: To establish and maintain Pasteur Institute and Bacteriological Laboratory on State land, 348 .- Reported favorably, 462.
- 330. By Senator Parr: To create a criminal district court for Counties of Willacy, Nueces, Kleberg and Cameron, 348.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 390.— Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 438 .- Reported engrossed, 461 .- Received from House with amendments, 627.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 674.—Enrolled, 733. -Signed, 705.
- 331. By Senators Dean and Smith: Providing for joint duties of county and district attorneys and the compensation of county attorneys in certain cases, 348.—Reported favorably, 484.
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- 335. By Senators Smith and Decherd: Levying an occupation tax upon traveling vendors of patent medicines, 375 .- Reported favorably, 462.
- 336. By Senator Parr: Increasing the authority and duties of the commissioners court of Nueces County, 375 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 448 .- Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 437 .- Reported engrossed, 482.—Received from House with amendments, 919.—House amendments concurred in, 978.—Ordered not printed in the Journal, 978 .-Reported enrolled, 1071,-Signed, 1059.
- 337. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Creating the Wheeler Independent School District in Wheeler County, Texas, 375 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 447.
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- 339. By Senator Lattimore: Creating a State Board and Department of Charities and Corrections, 391.—Reported favorably, 578.— Read second time; ordered engrossed, 1043.—Reported engrossed, 1097.
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- 343 .- By Senator Hudspeth: amend Revised Statutes 1911 providing for protection of stock raisers in certain localities, 392 .- Reported favorably and be printed in Journal only, 590 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 818 .- Reported engrossed, 861.—Received from House, 1190.—Enrolled, 1354.— Signed, 1332.
- 344. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Revised Statutes 1911, relating to the books and records of State banks and trust companies, 392.
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- 348. By Senator Robbins: To amend Title 115, Chapter 15 of R. S. of 1911, providing that the Railroad Commission of Texas shall hereafter be known as the

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- 349. By Senator Lattimore: organizing the Eighteenth Twenty-ninth Judicial Districts of Texas and fixing time for holding court in same, 393 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 448. -Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 437.—Reported engrossed, 482.—Received from House with amendments, 595. -House amendments concurred in. 601 .- Enrolled, 690 .- Signed, 638.
- 350. By Senator Hopkins: ing to raising allowances for widow and children, and providing that property encumbered by certain liens shall not be used for such purpose until said liens are satisfied, 393.—Reported favorably, 484.
- 351. By Senator Buchanan of Scur-To authorize commissioners courts to purchase poison for purpose of destroying prairie dogs, 393 .- Reported favorably. 578.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; action by which bill was engrossed rescinded, 921 .--Amended and ordered engrossed, 1041.—Reported engrossed, 1097.
  - Creating the Estelline Independent School District in Hall County, Texas, 419.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 463 .-- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 613.

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- 353. By Senator Johnston of Harris: To amend Penal Code of Texas, defining the offense of assault and battery, 419 .- Reported favorably, 510 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time

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- 354. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: To create a more efficient road system for Callahan County, Texas, 419.-Reported favorably and be not printed, 447 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 748.-Reported engrossed, 822. - Received from House, 1191.—Reported enrolled, 1349.—Signed, 1332.
- 355. By Senators Caldwell and Gib-Declaring all bonds issued son: under and by virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Act, shall be lawful investment for all fiduciary and trust funds, 419 .- Reported favorably, 443.—Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 543.—Reported engrossed, 553.—Received from House, 627 -Enrolled, 732.-Signed, 705.
- 356. By Senator Buchanan of Bell: Providing that when board of equalization of county, city, school district, etc., fixes value of property too high, the owner of same may make affidavit and advertise same for sale for purpose of fixing true value, 419 .- Reported favorably, 483 .- Read second time; orconstitutional dered engrossed; rule suspended; read third time and passed, 716.—Reported engrossed, 726.—House refused to pass to third reading, 1331.
- 357. By Senator Hudspeth: Relating to prospecting for and development of minerals and other substances in lands owned by the State of Texas, 420 .- Reported favorably, 483 .- Read second time; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 751.—Reported engrossed, 778.—Received from House, 1058.—Enrolled, 1221.—Signed, 1203.
- 358. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Revised Statutes of Texas relating to exemptions as affecting employes and ex-employes of railways, etc., from provisions of anti-pass laws, 420.—Reported fa- 365. By Senator Buchanan of Bell:

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- 359. By Senator Robbins: Local stock law for Henderson and Anderson Counties, 421.-Reported favorably and be not printed, 447. -Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended, read third time and passed, 547.—Reported engrossed, 576 .- Received from House, 1093. - Reported enrolled, Signed, 1139.
- 360. By Senator Smith: Amending the charter of the City of Longview, 421.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 448.— Constitutional rule suspended; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 439 .- Reported engrossed, 462.-Received from House, 637.—Reported enrolled, 690.—Signed, 669.
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- 364. By Senator Harley: To amend Chapter 2, Title 53, R. S. of 1911, relating to posting of notices in probate matters, 421.

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  - To create a commission for the study of epilepsy, 421.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 683.
- 366. By Senator Buchanan of Bell et al.: To require railroad corporations and receivers thereof to make certain reports to the Railroad Commission of Texas, 429.— Reported favorably, 589.
- 367. By Senator Parr: To authorize council of cities and towns to appropriate at the end of each fiscal year so much of net revenues of waterworks system, etc., as they deem advisable, to the sinking fund and interest on bonded indebtedness of such system, etc., 454.—Reported favorably, 646.
- 368. By Senator King: Authorizing partition of any real estate or mineral interest therein, 454.—Reported favorably, 625.—Refusal to take up, 605.—Senate rule suspended; read second time; ordered not printed; ordered engrossed, 611.—Read third time and passed, 739.—Reported engrossed, 645.—Received from House, 1092.—House requests return, 1095.—Returned to House, 1139.—Received from House, 1191.—Enrolled, 1270.—Signed, 1240.
- 369. By Senator Caldwell: Granting to the City of Austin certain land between Colorado River and outlots 1 and 11 in Division "Z" in City of Austin, 455.—Reported favorably, 578.—Read second time; laid on table subject to call, 1042.
- 370. By Senator McCollum: Authorizing any county or subdivision thereof to issue bonds for road construction when voted by two-thirds majority of property tax paying voters, 468.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1303.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1324.—Reported engrossed, 1342.—Received from House, 1577.—Enrolled, 1646.—Signed, 1618.
- 371. By Senator Strickland: Making it unlawful for any person to sell or compound any remedy con-

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- 372. By Senator Caldwell: Requiring the Railroad Commission to ascertain cost of transportation of freight upon each railroad operating within this State by operating divisions, etc., 469.
- 373. By Senator Hudspeth: Creating the Knippa Independent School District of Uvalde County, Texas, 470.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 516.
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- 376. By Senator Clark: Creating a more efficient road system for Fayette, Uvalde and Frio Counties, 496.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 513.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 568.—Reported engrossed, 620.—Received from House with amendments, 971.—House amendments concurred in, 1622.—Enrolled, 1634.—Signed, 1629.
- 377. By Senator Dean: Creating the Huntsville Independent School District in Walker County, Texas, 496.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 514.—Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended read third time and passed, 571.—Reported engrossed, 589.—Received from the House, 971.—Reported enrolled, 1071.—Signed, 1025.

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- 379. By Senator Lattimore: To amend Section 1 of H. B. No. 34 as passed by the Thirty-fifth Legislature, relating to the creation of a juvenile board within certain counties of this State, 496.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 512.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 545.—Reported engrossed, 576.—Received from House with amendments, 794, 801.—Request for return to House, 795.—Returned, 795.—House amendments concurred in, 810.—Enrolled, 866.—Signed, 857.
- 380. By Senator Gibson: Making forgery a misdemeanor where the amount involved is of less value than \$20, 502.—Reported adversely with favorable minority, 689.
- 381. By Senator Decherd: To amend Article 735, Chapter 4, Title 12, of Revised Criminal Statutes of 1911, relating to standards of feedstuffs, 502.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 759.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 908.—Reported engrossed, 930.—Received from House, 1137.—Enrolled, 1229.—Signed, 1202.
- 382. By Senator Harley: To amend Revised Statutes of Texas, relating to the payment of a funeral benefit by mutual assessment accident insurance companies, 502.—Reported favorably, 647.
- 383. By Senator Johnson of Hall: To amend Title 22, Chapter 1 of R. S. 1911, relating to the incorporation of cities and towns, 542.
- 384. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: To amend Article 4859, Title 71, Chapter 7, R. S. of 1911, relating to the reports of local insurance associations, 542.—Reported favorably and be printed in

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- 385. By Senator Parr: To create a more efficient road law for Jim Wells County, 542.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 579.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 613.—Read third time, amended and passed, 820.—Reported engrossed, 644.—Received from House, 1023.—Reported enrolled, 1071.—Signed, 1059.
- 386. By Senator McNealus: To authorize the creation of private corporations, under general incorporation laws of the State, with power and authority to act as adjusters for insurance companies, 542.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1342.
- 387. By Senator Hall: Creating the criminal district court of Galveston County, Texas, 558.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 624.—Set as special order, 773.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 921.—Reported engrossed, 1044.
- 388. By Senator Hall: Creating the Wharton Independent School District in Wharton County, Texas, 558.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 582.—Read second time; committee report adopted ordered engrossed, 612.—Read third time and passed, 856.—Reported engrossed, 645.—Received from House, 1191.—Reported enrolled, 1269.—Signed, 1240.
- 389. By Senator Decherd: Creating Calvert Independent School District in Robertson County, Texas, 559.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 581.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 610.—Reported en-

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- 390. By Senator Dayton: To establish a State training school upon cottage plan for dependent and de-linquent girls of Texas, 559.— Reported favorably and be not printed, 581.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 746.—Reported engrossed, 777 .- Received from House, 1190. Signed, 1246 .- Enrolled, 1270.
- 391. By Senator Dayton: To amend Section 4 of an Act of the Thirtyfourth Legislature creating the board of water commissioners of Gaineville, relating to control and disposition of funds derived from sale of water, 559 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 579 .-Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 607 .--Reported engrossed, 644 .-- Received from House, 850 .- Signed, 857 .- Reported enrolled, 895.
- 392. By Senator Dayton: Authorizing persons, etc., to exchange among themselves, by and through an attorney in fact, reciprocal or inter-insurance contracts, etc., 559. -Reported favorably with amendments and be printed in the Journal only, 652.—Refusal to recommit, 1057, 1062.
- 393. By Senator Caldwell: To exempt from jury service all rural free mail delivery carriers, 560.
- 394. By Senator Caldwell: ing a more efficient road system for Lampasas County, Texas, 560.— Reported favorably and be not printed, 579.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed: constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 744.—Reported engrossed, 778 .- Received from House, 1154. -Signed, 1240.-Reported rolled, 1269.
- 395. By Senator Hall: To authorize the County of Galveston to 400. By Senator Bee: Providing build and construct a causeway!

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  - By Senator Hudspeth: validate titles to school land purchased on condition of settlement and residence and before expiration of three years, transferred land but completed occupancy, 561 .- Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 581 .-Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 747.—Reported engrossed, 777.—Received from House with amendments, 1276 .- House amendments concurred in, 1278.—Signed, 1284.— Enrolled, 1312.
  - By Senator Hudspeth: To provide for establishment of a State Normal College to be located at Alpine, in Brewster County, Texas, 561.-Reported favorably with amendments, 647.-Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 821 .- Reported engrossed, 841 .- Read third time and passed, 1040 .- Received from House with amendments, 1550.—House amendments concurred in, 1577.—Signed, 1584.— Enrolled, 1599.
  - 398. By Senator Woodward: Amending Revised Statutes of 1911, relating to the duties of the Commissioner of Agriculture and tax assessors, 561 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 760.
  - 399. By Senator Woodward: To amend Revised Statutes of Texas prohibiting licensed insurance agents from paying any consideration on account of policies of insurance in Texas to other than resident insurance agents in this State, 561 .- Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 656.
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- 402. By Senator Hudspeth: To validate all sales of free school land, University land and asylum land, made after forfeiture for nonpayment of interest, 568.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 649.
- 403. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Article 3881 R. S. of Texas, relating to the maximum amount of fees of all kinds that may be retained by any officer, 583.
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- 405. By Senator Johnson of Hall:
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  726.—Received from House, 898.
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- 406. By Senator Suiter: To create a more efficient road system for Wood County, and providing for the issuance of bonds, 583.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 623.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 756.—Reported engrossed, 822.—Received from the House, 1022.—Signed, 1059.—Reported enrolled, 1071.

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- 407. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: To amend the special laws of the Thirty-first Legislature creating the Hamlin Independent School District in Jones County, Texas, 596.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 625.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended read third time and passed, 744.—Reported engrossed, 778.—Received from House, 1021.—Signed, 1088.—Reported enrolled, 1114.
- 408. By Senators Smith and Gibson:
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  exempt hobby horses, theatres, circuses, etc., from an occupation tax
  when given for the benefit of agricultural fairs, 596.—Reported favorably, 727.—Read second time;
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- 409. By Senator Johnston of Harris: To provide for platting of streets, etc., and blocks in subdivisions by owners or agents, to conform to streets, etc., abutting on or to the same, in all cities of 5000 population or more, 596.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1174.
- 410. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Article 1178, Chapter 4, Title 15, C. C. P. of 1911, relating to the compensation of county attorneys who represent the State in misdemeanor cases in corporation courts of cities of more than 30,000 and less than 40,000 population, 596.
- 411. By Senator Dayton: To authorize traveling men and other persons unavoidably absent from voting places on primary election days to vote by mail, 597.—Reported favorably with adverse minority, 827.
- 412. By Senator Dean: To amend S. B. No. 278, passed by the Thirty-fifth Legislature, approved Feb. 12, 1917, relating to county depositories, fixing the amount of the bond, etc., 597.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 689.—Refusal to take up, 741.—Read

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- 413. By Senator Strickland: Regulating the construction of bridges over streams forming division lines between counties or road districts, 597.
- 414. By Senator Dean: To create a more efficient road system for Grimes County, Texas, 611.-Reported favorably and be not printed, 649. - Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 746.—Reported engrossed, 822.—Received from House, 1021. —Signed, 1087. — Reported en- 422. By Senator McNealus: Defin-rolled, 1114. ing common carrier pipe lines; rolled, 1114.
- 415. By Senator Johnson of Hall: To fix the time of holding courts in the Sixty-fourth Judicial District of Texas, 642.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 846.
- 416. By Senator King: To aid the Garrison Independent School District in Nacogdoches County, Texas, in rebuilding school buildings destroyed by fire, 666 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 683. -Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered grossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 714.—Reported engrossed, 726 .- Received from House, 1548. -Signed, 1571. - Reported enrolled, 1596.
- 417. By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: Creating the Asperment Independent School District in Stonewall County, Texas, 666.— Reported favorably and be not printed, 727 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered. engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 806 .- Reported engrossed, 841 .- Received from House, 1021. -Signed, 1088. - Reported enrolled, 1114.
- 418. By Senator Harley: To amend Section 5 of H. B. No. 34, passed by the Thirty-fifth Legislature, relating to district judges as a juvenile board in counties of a certain population, 666.

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- 420. By Senator Dayton: amend Article 7051, R. S. of 1911, relating to the salary and compensation for expenses of the Commissioner of Agriculture, 667.
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- By Senator Suiter: To amend an Act of the Thirty-second Legislature creating the Winnsboro Independent School District in Wood and Franklin Counties, 679 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 728 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 808 .- Reported engrossed, 840 .- Received from House, 1021. -Signed. 1059.-Reported enrolled, 1072.
- 425.—By Senator Strickland: authorize the State Librarian, etc., to purchase fireproof safes for the protection of the State archives, 7.06.
- 426. By Senator Johnston of Har-ris: Providing the manner of nom-

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- 427. By Senator Caldwell: make appropriation of the sum of \$1,799.66 for payment of salaries of certain employes in the Department of the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, 706.
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- 429. By Senator Caldwell: To repeal an Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature amending Chapter 2, Title 44, R. S. 1911, providing for county depositories, fixing the amount of bond, etc., 706.
- 430. By Senator Henderson: amend the special road law of Morris County, Texas, 707.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 729.—Read second time: committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 750.—Reported engrossed, 778 .- Received from House, 1021. -Signed, 1088. - Reported enrolled, 1114.
- 431. By Senator Lattimore: Relating to public free school land purchased between the dates, Jan. 1, 1907, and Jan. 1, 1915, which may hereafter be forfeited for nonpayment of interest, 707 .- Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 863.
- 432. By Senator Clark: To amend Revised Statutes of 1911, prescribing the fees that may be charged by the Texas State Board of Pharmacy, 707.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 728.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1322. -Read third time, amended and 1535. — Reported en-1553. — Received from passed. grossed, House, 1569.—Signed, 1575.—Enrolled, 1598.

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- 433. By Senator Parr: To amend an Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, the same being S. B. No. 330, reorganizing the Twenty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas, 707.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 728.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 755 .- Reported engrossed, 777 .- Received from House with amendments, 970. House amendments concurred in and ordered not printed in the Journal, 978 .- Signed, 1058 .- Enrolled, 1082.
- 434. By Senator Caldwell: Making it unlawful for any person to practice any trick or device to procure money, etc., by pretending to be blind, deaf or dumb or maimed in any manner, and fixing a penalty. 707.
- 435. By Senator Harley et al.: To define and provide for the organizing and disciplining of the militia of the State of Texas, etc., 707 .-Reported favorably, 822.-Refusal to take up, 941.
- 436. By Senator McCollum: To reorganize the Twentieth and create the Eighty-third Judicial District of the State of Texas, 724.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 760 .- Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 754 .-- Reported engrossed, 778 .- Received from House with amendments, 970. House amendments concurred in, 983. - Signed, 1059. - Enrolled, 1074.
- 437. By Senators Clark and Harley: Empowering cities and towns and commissioners courts to make rules and regulations concerning contagious and infectious diseases, 737. -Reported favorably and be n.: printed, 828.
- 438. By Senator Woodward: creasing the territory of Valera Common School District, 738 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 842.

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- By Senator Gibson: To provide for appointment by county judges of guardians of estates of certain persons, 738.
- 440. By Senator Parr: Creating the San Diego County Line School District of Duval County, Texas, 738.-Reported favorably and be not printed, 758 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 852 .- Reported engrossed, 861. - Received from House, 1206 .- Signed, 1332 .- Reported enrolled, 1349.
- 441. By Senators Henderson and Hudspeth: To amend the Acts of the Thirty-fourth Legislature relating to sale of public free school land and land of the several asylums, 738 .- Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 861.
  - 442. By Senator King: To amend Section 53, Article 1121, Title 25, Chapter 2, of R. S. of Texas, relating to construction, etc., of terminal railways, 738.—Reported favorably with amendments and be not printed, 823 .- Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 819 .- Reported engrossed, 841 .- Received from House, 970. -Signed, 979.-Enrolled, 1006.
  - 443. By Senator Parr: Granting to the City of Corpus Christi all right, title, etc., of the State in and to the land lying under the waters of Corpus Christi Bay, 762.
  - 444. By Senator Johnson of Hall: To establish Common School District No. 10 in Dickens County, 762.
  - 445. By Senator Hudspeth: To create a more efficient road law for Mason County, Texas, 786 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 824 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 853.—Reported engrossed, 888 .- Received from House, 1137.

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  - -Signed, 1240. Reported enrolled, 1269.
  - 446. By Senator Hudspeth: cepting cities and towns operating under special charter which have assumed control of public free schools, from the provisions of Section 141, Chapter 124 of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legisla-ture, 786.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 829.
  - 7. By Senator Clark: To amend statute relating to the compensa-447. tion of road commissioners of Colorado County, Texas, 786.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 827.-Constitutional rule suspended; Senate rule suspended; read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 808 .- Reported engrossed, 841 .- Received from House with amendments, 1084.—House amendments concurred in, 1088 .- Signed, 1139 .-Enrolled, 1220.
  - 448. By Senator Parr: To aid the City of Corpus Christi in constructing and maintaining sea walls, etc., by donating certain taxes for a period of ten years, 786.
  - 449. By Senator Lattimore: To establish a Junior A. and M. and Industrial College at Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, 787.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 846 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1040 .-Read third time and passed, 1055. -Reported engrossed, 1159.-Received from House, 1585 .- Signed, 1590 .- Enrolled, 1637.
  - 450. By Senator Lattimore: amend Article 5661, R. S. of 1911, relating to the registration of chattel mortgages, 787. — Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1100.
  - 451. By Senator Alderdice: pealing a special road law for Johnson County, Texas, 787.—Reported favorably and be not printed. 823. — Constitutional rule suspended; read second time;

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- 452. By Senator Robbins: Creating a more efficient road system for Henderson County, Texas, 787.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 826.—constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 815.—Reported engrossed, 860.—Received from House, 1083.—Signed, 1139.—Reported enrolled, 1218.
- 453. By Senators Strickland and Smith: Fixing the salaries of the Railroad Commissioners of this State, 807.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 823.—Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 820.—Reported engrossed, 840.
- 454. By Senator Parr: To aid the City of Port Aransas, in Nueces County, Texas, by granting said city certain State taxes for a period of five years, \$07.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1172.—Printed, 1226.
- 455. By Senator McNealus: Permitting nine jurors to return verdicts in civil cases, 834.
- 456. By Senator Bee et al.: To provide a home for lepers, and for isolation, care and treatment of same, 834.—Reported favorably and be not printtd, 845.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 916.—Reported engrossed, 1005.
- 457. By Senator Decherd: To provide for rendition of rolling stock of railroads in school and drainage districts, 834.

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- 458. By Senator Bailey: To create the Cristine Independent School District in Atascosa County, Texas, 834.
- 459. By Senator Woodward. Creating the Goldthwaite Independent School District in Mills County, Texas, 834.
- 460. By Senator Clark: Fixing a speed limit for automobiles and motor vehicles on the public roads of this State, 834.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 846.—Refusal to take up, 878.
- 461. By Senator Johnson of Hall: To incorporate the City of Plainview, Hale County, Texas, 851.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 865.—Read second time committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 907.—Read third time and passed, 1040.—Reported engrossed, 1044.—Received from House, 1154.—Signed, 1278.—Enrolled, 1306.
- 462. By Senator McCollum: To take from the Eddy Independent School District certain lands and restore same to School District No. 36 in McLennan County, Texas, 851.
- 463. By Senator Bee et al.: Authorizing formation of corporations for production of cotton, sugar cane, rice, etc., 851. Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1306.
- 464. By Senator Suiter: To amend Chapter 141 of the Acts of the Thirty-third Legislature relating to pensions of Confederate soldiers, 851.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 893.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 928.—Reported engrossed, 1004.—Received from House, 1190.—Signed, 1285.—Enrolled, 1312.
- 465. By Senators Buchanan of Bell and McCollum: Creating the Valley Mills Independent School District in Bosque and McLennan Counties, Texas, 851.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 889.

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  - ---Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 889 .-Reported engrossed, 930. — Received from House, 1191.—Signed, 1278 .- Reported enrolled, 1306.
- By Senator Lattimore: Defining and providing for incorporation of loan and investment companies, 852.-Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 894 .-Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1042.-Reported engrossed, 1097.
- 467. By Senator Hudspeth: Making appropriation for expenses of the Texas Live Stock Sanitary Commission in State-wide tick eradication, 852.-Reported favorably and be printed in Journal only, 1160.—Printed, 1111.—Read second time; committee report adopted: ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1325 .- Reported engrossed, 1341 .- Received from House, 1569.—Signed, 1575.—Enrolled, 1603.
- 468. By Senator Johnston of Har-ris: Exempting Waller County Exempting Waller County from the provisions of Article 7235, preventing stock from running at large, 852 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 889.— Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1034 .- Read third time, amended and passed, 1250 .- Reported engrossed, 1098.
- 469. By Senator Buchanan of Scur-To creat a more efficient road system for Kent County, Texas, 877 .- Reported favorably and be not printed, 893 .- Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 917.—Reported engrossed, 1044. -- Received from House, 1194 .- Signed, 1240 .- Reported enrolled, 1269.
- 470. By Senator Bee: To amend Article 2877, Title 48, Chapter 17, R. S. of 1911, authorizing cities and towns to vote, levy and collect an unlimited special tax for school purposes, 897 .- Reported favor-

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  - 931.—Read second time; amended; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1035, 1091.
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- By Senator Johnson of Hall: Creating the Lelia Lake Independent School District in Donley County, Texas, 897.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 932.—Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule sus-pended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 925.—Reported en-grossed, 1004.—Received from House, 1139.—Signed, 1202.— Reported enrolled, 1218.
- 2. By Senator Bee: To amend the special road law for Bexar County, Texas, 897.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1047.

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- By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: Creating the Tahoka Independent School District in Lynn County, Texas, 969.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 989 .-Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1033 .- Reported engrossed, 1098 .- Received from House, 1320.—Signed, 1544. -Reported enrolled, 1567.
- By Senator Bee: To set aside the building now used as a General Land Office to the Daughters of the Republic and Confederacy, 969.
- By Senator Buchanan of Scurry: Creating the Girard Inde-pendent School District in Kent County, Texas, 969.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 988 .-Read second time; committee re-

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  - port adopted; ordered engrossed, 1034.—Read third time and passed, 1231.—Reported engrossed, 1098.—Received from House, 1320.—Signed, 1543.—Reported enrolled, 1567.
- 476. By Senator Caldwell: Creating the Bertram Independent School District in Burnett County, Texas, 1023.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1099.
- 477. By Senator Hudspeth: Making deficiency appropriation for the Texas School for the Blind, 1024. —Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1218.
- 478. By Senator Dean: Creating Phelps Independent School District in Walker County, Texas, 1032.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1069.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1244.—Reported engrossed, 1297.—Received from House, 1545.—Signed, 1575.—Reported enrolled, 1596.
- 479. By Senator Bee: Special road law for Duval County, Texas, 1033. Reported favorably and be not printed, 1048.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1055.—Reported engrossed, 1097.—Received from House, 1320.—Signed, 1543.—Reported enrolled, 1567.
- 480. By Senator Parr: To define and prohibit blacklisting by labor union of members and ex-members of the Legislature, 1085.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1098.—Ordered printed in the Journal, 1094.—Printed, 1099.
- 481. By Senator Hudspeth, by request: To authorize the Governor to appoint special railway police at request of railroad corporations, etc., 1135.
- 482. By Senator Hudspeth: To amend Article 1818, R. S. of 1911, relating to filing of pleadings in district and county courts, 1135.

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- 483. By Senator McNealus: To amend Article 317, Title 12, R. S. of 1911, relating to license granted to graduates of the Law Department of the University of Texas, 1135.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1305.
- 484. By Senator Dayton: To establish a Junior A., M. and I. College at Sherman, Texas, to be known as Munson Vocational College, 1155.

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- 485. By Senator Johnson of Hall: Creating the Lodge Independent School District in Hall County, Texas, 1188.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1208.—Read second time; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed, 1243.—Reported engrossed, 1298.—Received from House, 1546.—Signed, 1575.—Reported enrolled, 1596.
- 486. By Senator Caldwell: Making appropriation for Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Colored Youths, 1188.—Reported favorably and be printed in the Journal only, 1217.
- 487. By Senators Page et al.: To make supplemental appropriations for the support of the State government, 1230.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1305.
- 488. By Senator Caldwell: Adding territory to the Kingsland Independent School District in Llano County, Texas, 1249.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1268. Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed, 1254.—Read third time and passed, 1293.—Reported engrossed, 1298.—Received from House, 1585.—Signed, 1618.—Reported enrolled, 1634.
- 489. By Senator Parr: Creating the Mercedes Independent School District in Hidalgo County, Texas, 1249.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1269.—Refusal to take up, 1275.—Read second time;

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- 490. By Senator Hudspeth: amend Section 6 of an Act of the Thirty-fifth Legislature pertaining to the development of minerals in public free school lands and waters, 1274.—Reported favorably and be not printed, 1305 .- Constitutional rule suspended; read sec- 2. ond time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; ordered engrossed; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and 1295. — Reported passed, engrossed, 1342. - Received from House, 1586 .- Signed, 1617 .- Enrolled, 1642.
- 491. By Senator Bailey, by request: To amend an Act of the Thirtythird Legislature creating the Charco Independent School District in Goliad County, Texas, 1274.
- 492. By Senator Bailey, by request: Creating the Powell Independent School District in Goliad County, Texas, 1274.
- 493. By Senator Suiter: To establish a Junior A., M. and I. College at Gilmer, in Upshur County, Texas, to be known as the Culberson Vocational College, 1357.
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  and passed, 1534.—Reported engrossed, 1553.—Received from
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